

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1 of the specification, below the title, please insert:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0001] This application is a National Stage of Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) Application No. PCT/EP2004/011306, filed October 8, 2004, entitled, USE OF AN INTUMESCENT MATERIAL AND DEVICE COMPRISING SUCH A MATERIAL, which claims priority to German Patent Application No. DE 10347027.1, filed October 9, 2003, all of the disclosure both of which are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety.

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FIELD OF THE INVENTION

After paragraph [0001], and prior to paragraph [0002], please insert:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

After paragraph [0003], and prior to paragraph [0004], please insert:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

After paragraph [0026], and prior to paragraph [0027], please insert:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Prior to paragraph [0029], please insert:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION